

THE WEATHER

Cloudy Tonight and Wednesday.
Probably Scattered Showers

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS

Silver	74 5/8
Copper	31.35
Lead	\$11.25
Quicksilver	\$105

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GERMANS PLOTTING
IN NEUTRAL DAYSFurnish Money to Americans to
Foment Trouble With England
and France Early in the War

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Secretary Lansing in testifying before the house commerce committee in support of the trading with the enemy bill, said the government had evidence that Germany, while the United States was still neutral, sent

an agent here who organized a steamship company and loaned Americans money to buy grain aboard the ship, in order to raise an issue with England and France over her seizure. In many cases Germany was seeking to create friction between the United States and the entente powers.

U-BOAT MENACE
NEARS SOLUTIONSCIENCE PROMISES TO DISPEL
GREATEST DANGER OF
THE SEA

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 29.—Professor Michael I. Pupin, of Columbia University, president of the New York Academy of Sciences at the center of a meeting of the society last night predicted that the German submarine menace would be effectively solved and that the American public soon would realize "the value of the men of science in meeting the ruthless undersea warfare."
Recalling that Germany had widely advertised to the world that the submarine was her last "trump card" Professor Pupin said:
"The Germans should have known that the same inventive genius that gave them the submarine weapon would also knock it out of their hands."
Victory will be ours and the people of this country will recognize that, after all, scientific research is the most valuable asset that this country possesses.

ILLINOIS CITIES
BEGIN REBUILDINGREVISED LISTS SHOW 88 PER-
CENTS DEAD AT MATTOON
AND CHARLESTON

(By Associated Press.)
MATTOON, Ill., May 29.—Rehabilitation of Mattoon and Charleston, the cities hit hardest in the storm which swept central Illinois on Saturday, will be completed before the snow flies, according to predictions of relief workers. Plans for permanent relief work on a basis of rehabilitation rather than a compensation or reimbursement require the expenditure of \$250,000 in Mattoon and from \$150,000 to \$200,000 in Charleston, according to estimates contained in a formal statement issued by J. J. O'Connor, director of the Red Cross.

Relief for the homeless thousands is being pushed rapidly. Four hundred and ninety-six homeless families in Mattoon and 284 in Charleston had been listed last night.
Reports place the number of dead in Mattoon at 54, Earl White, previously reported dead, having been found dangerously injured.
Revised lists at Charleston, where compilation of statistics was hampered by the number of victims carried in for private homes, reported 34 dead. In Mattoon, the citizens' general relief fund had reached \$100,000.

SHIPWRIGHTS GO
OUT ON STRIKEMACHINISTS WORKING ON NAVAL
CONTRACTS DEMAND IN-
CREASE OF PAY

(By Associated Press.)
NEWPORT NEWS, May 29.—About 400 union machinists at the shipbuilding and dry docks company yards struck today for an increase of wages. Several dreadnaughts, cruisers and destroyers have been allotted to the yard.

EVERY SCOUT TO SAVE
A SOLDIER, BOYS' SLOGAN

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Boy Scouts will solicit liberty loan subscriptions throughout the state on June 11th, 12th and 13th. Their slogan will be: "Every scout to save a soldier." Stanford University subscribed \$100,000.

SLACKER APPEALS AGAIN
FOR WRIT OF PROHIBITION

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Ferdinand Claudius, who recently attempted to escape the draft by legal proceedings again applied to the supreme court for a writ of prohibition asking that the mayor of Oakland and other officials be restrained from forcing him to register.

APPOINTMENTS FOR THE
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Charles Emmet Yeater, of Missouri, was nominated today vice-president of the Philippine Islands. Thomas A. Street, of Alabama, and George A. Malcolm, of Michigan, were nominated associate justices of the supreme court of the Philippines.

GERMANS EXPECT ATTACK

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, May 29.—An unofficial statement says an attack by Russians and Rumanian troops is expected.

FOUR TORNADO SWEEP STATES
REPORT 160 DEAD; 550 INJURED

(By Associated Press.)
MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 29.—Revised reports from the sections of Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas and Alabama, swept by a series of tornadoes Sunday, place the number of known dead at 160 and the injured approximately 550.

Southwestern Kentucky paid the heaviest toll in lives lost, 66 persons being killed and more than 100 injured. In Alabama, the mining camps at Bayre, Bradford and Carbon Hill reported 46 fatalities, and in Tennessee, Tipton, Dyer and Car-

SUBMARINE SINKS
RED CROSS SHIPFLOATING HOSPITAL, ARMED
CRUISER AND DESTROYER
GO TO THE BOTTOM

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, May 29.—The British hospital ship Dover Castle was torpedoed and sunk, also the British armed cruiser Hiliary. A British destroyer was sunk after collision.

BY BUYING BONDS
TAXES BE SAVEDJACOB SCHIFF TELLS THE PUB-
LIC WHAT HAS TO BE
EXPECTED

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Jacob Schiff, financier, telegraphed from New York, stating Californians have the cold choice between buying liberty bonds or helping to pay for the war in additional taxes. He characterized the offering of bonds as "an opportunity such as never has been offered before to the investor." He pointed out that the more bonds are sold, the fewer taxes will be imposed.

LIBERTY LOAN WEEK
WILL BEGIN SATURDAYPROGRAM ARRANGED TO INTER-
EST CITIZENS IN EVERY
LINE OF BUSINESS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Men, women and children in every walk of life are given places for active service on the program for liberty loan week beginning next Saturday. The liberty loan program follows:

Saturday and Sunday, June 2 and 3.—In the churches. Clergymen will preach special sermons on behalf of the loan.

Monday, June 4.—Merchants and manufacturers.

Tuesday, June 5.—Professional and insurance men. Every insurance agent in the country will devote the entire day to soliciting subscriptions.

Wednesday, June 6.—Labor Day and automobilists.

Thursday, June 7.—Farmers.

Friday, June 8.—Women's.

Saturday, June 9.—Children's.

BETTER ACCOMMODATIONS

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, May 29.—Standardized ships now in course of construction are to have accommodation for seamen and firemen on an entirely new basis. The men will have their quarters aft, there will be a mess room and complete bathroom and lavatory arrangements.

DEATH OF THIRD SON
OF BARON ROTHSCHILD

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, May 29.—Leopold de Rothschild, third son of the baron, founder of the English banking house, died, aged 72. He was prominent in racing circles.

SUFFRAGISTS BUY BONDS

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 29.—Mrs. Frank A. Vanderbilt, secretary of the woman's committee of the liberty loan's selling organization, announces that \$874,000 worth of bonds had been sold through the New York state suffrage association.

KANSAS COAL MINERS
SUBMIT TO MEDIATION

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURG, Kansas, May 29.—The council of national defense has offered its services in bringing about a speedy settlement of a strike which closed 2500 men from Crawford county coal mines. The production of the mines affected by the strike is approximately 5000 tons a day.

FORECAST FOR THE WEEK

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Rocky mountain and plateau region: Local rains are probable during the first half of the week over the northern and central parts, otherwise generally fair weather with temperature near or slightly below the seasonal average.

German Offensive
About to Begin

(By Associated Press.)
* DATELESS — An impending
* German offensive fronts the
* British and French is
* indicated by intense aerial
* activity. Seventeen German
* machines were brought down, 4
* and 27 damaged.

SOUTH AMERICA
AGAINST KAISERFRIENDLY RELATIONS SEVERED
AND LATIN AMERICA
STANDS TOGETHER

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Brazil's decision to revoke her decree of neutrality is construed as little less than a declaration of a state of war with Germany. It is believed that this indicates a general breakdown of the German propaganda all over South America. Unofficial advice says Chile would endorse and perhaps join Brazil.

MRS. MOONEY JURY
ALMOST COMPLETESTATE HAS NO OBJECTION TO
THE SILENT JURY OF
LABOR MEN

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—With nine men sworn in and two tentatively accepted subject to peremptory challenge, it is expected that the jury to try Mrs. Rena Mooney for the bomb murders here last July will be completed today. An alternative juror to guard against sickness and consequent postponement of the trial will be placed on the panel.

One of the temporary jurors, Paul Postler, is a union labor man. As the prosecution used up its last peremptory challenge on J. S. Downey, who left the employ of a railroad company on strike call, it was believed that Postler would remain.

Superior Judge Emmet Seawell, presiding and Assistant District Attorney Louis Ferrari, prosecuting for the state, both declared they have no objection to the "silent jury" of labor men to be appointed by the central labor council of Oakland, California, attending the trial. These men, it was announced by the council, will judge of the facts in the cases under oath and bring in an independent verdict.

The state federation of labor has turned over \$2400 to the defense fund.

Assistant District Attorney Ferrari made charges of irregularity in the selecting of Juror Daniel Kelly in the Rena Mooney case. The charges will be considered later today by the court.

TWO ALLIED SPIES
PUT IN SAFE KEEPING

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Carls Schneider, arrested at Loma as a possible German spy, was brought here today. Hugo Webber, arrested at Woodland recently on a presidential warrant charged with being a former German officer and publicly denouncing the United States for entering the war and casting aspersions on the American flag, are to be interned at Fort Winfield Scott.

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RUSSIAN CRISIS
GROWING ACUTEONLY A MIRACLE CAN SAVE
COUNTRY FROM INDUSTRIAL
COLLAPSE

(By Associated Press.)
PETROGRAD, May 29.—The industrial crisis in Russia is so acute that according to a recent utterance of the minister of finance, M. Shingareff, only a miracle can save the country from economic ruin. The demands of the workmen were so enormous, he declared, that it seems impossible to keep the industrial wheels going for any great length of time.

The Socialist ministers at a recent ministerial council said that the only possibility they saw of settling the difficulties was to bring the war to a close.

Neither the coalition cabinet nor the newly appointed commission to regulate the difficulties between capital and labor has yet found a way to settle the industrial crisis.

An investigation of the factory conditions in Petrograd leads to the alarming, but inevitable conclusion that unless the government soon finds a means of adjusting the present difficulties most of the industrial enterprises working for national defence will be compelled to close within a few months.

RACE RIOTS BREAK
OUT IN ILLINOISSTATE GUARDS CALLED OUT TO
PROTECT NEGROES AT
EAST ST. LOUIS

(By Associated Press.)
EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., May 29.—With two companies of guardsmen patrolling the street quiet was restored after last night's rioting caused by attacks of mobs on negroes. The trouble was said to be caused by the importation of negro laborers. Two negroes were shot and nine severely beaten. Property damage was heavy. Six more troops of guardsmen have been ordered here.

LIBERAL APPOINTED
PREMIER OF HUNGARYSIGNIFICANT MOVE OF EMPEROR
CHARLES OF AUSTRIA IN
FILLING VACANCY

(By Associated Press.)
ZURICH, May 29.—An official telegram from Budapest says Emperor Charles has appointed Count Julius Andrássy premier of Hungary. There has been a vacancy since Count Tisza resigned May 23rd, due to differences with the throne over franchise reforms. Tisza's proposals are believed to be narrower than the monarchy favored. Andrássy, a former premier, and prominent leader of opposition to Tisza's ministry, is regarded as a liberal of the most advanced type.

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ANTI-CONSCRIPTION
PLOTTERS INDICTEDRifle Clubs Organized to Coerce
Registration of Officials and
Deter Citizens From Enrolling

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—German influences to encourage resistance to army registration and selective draft uncovered in Texas by the federal grand jury has already resulted in eleven indictments. Other arrests in various cities are being investigated. An organization formed ostensibly for co-operative buying turned its efforts to combatting conscription in Texas and obtained high-powered rifles to intimidate persons subject to registration. Officials say the espionage bill will impose heavy penalties on such efforts to defeat registration.

In some western cities there is evidence of an effort to defeat registration, but the department of justice is fully prepared to deal with the offenders. Sporadic efforts to interfere with registration are scattered over the country, but officials do not believe they are connected.

Two Virginians, William McCoy and J. W. Phillips, well known characters in the mountain feud region, were arrested at Roanoke. The government claims it has complete evidence to show they plotted organized

WATCHING SPIES
AT THE BORDERPRUSSIAN MILITARISTS AFRAID
IMPORTANT SECRETS WILL
LEAK OUT

(By Associated Press.)
COPENHAGEN, May 29.—Spy of military secrets are the order of hunting precautions to prevent leaks the day in Germany and new regulations to keep military information from passing the frontiers are published daily.

MORE AUTOS NEEDED
FOR REGISTRATION

Sheriff Thomas must have some more volunteer autos for the day of registration or the work will be seriously interfered with. He is not allowed any compensation for the work of himself or clerks and he trusts the patriotic citizens of Tonopah will come forward with offers of five more automobiles for use on June 6th. Today County Clerk Glass issued cards to the following non-residents: Harry Hinesdale, San Diego, Cal.; Edward W. Edmiston, San Diego, Cal.; Nick Leturnick, 110 Maple avenue, Watsonville, Cal.; Ernie Best, Salt Lake, Mont.; John Oliver Bell, Leadville, Colo.; Edw. Christian Berg, 119 Highland ave., San Francisco; Harry Olsen and Rasmus Molde, 567, Diamond street, San Francisco.

CHICAGO TURNS OUT
FOR A LOAN PARADE

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, May 29.—Five hundred liberty loan bonds salesman paraded the downtown streets today behind the Great Lakes naval training station band and a battalion of jackies from the school.

A battalion of the First Illinois Infantry followed the salesmen, wearing straw hats, with red, white and blue bands and carrying beribboned canes during their canvass of the city in behalf of the loan.

The National Bank of Manila has already applied for \$500,000 of the securities. The Beechnut Packing company had asked for \$40,000 for its employees. The Well-Fargo company has subscribed for \$1,000,000, and Mahaska county, Iowa, sent application for \$125,000.

Fifty-one foreign language newspapers of Chicago, including some printed in German, have offered free space in their columns for advertising the liberty loan bonds.

BENNY LEONARD CHAMPION
OF LIGHTWEIGHT CLASS

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 29.—Benny Leonard won the world's lightweight championship by knocking out Freddie Welsh in the ninth round of a ten-round match.

This makes Benny Leonard's fifth successive knockout. He will enlist in the army.

Leonard weighed 133 and Welsh 134. Leonard was the aggressor from the first. The referee stopped the bout when Welsh hung helplessly on the ropes and in danger of slipping through.

CHINESE REGISTRARS

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Ten American-born Chinese were sworn in today as deputy registrars for the selective draft.

resistance to the draft by a wholesale attack on the landed people of Virginia whose property they planned to divide. The espionage bill provides for 20 years imprisonment and a \$10,000 fine for interference with registration.

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, May 29.—Three men and two women are held charged with conspiracy to defeat the selective draft. Their names are not given out. Arrests are expected in Wisconsin, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana and Iowa.

(By Associated Press.)
KANSAS CITY, May 29.—A special federal grand jury has been called to consider cases of persons advocating non-compliance with the draft law.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Hand bills printed in New York attacking the government, especially in connection with the selective draft, have been turned over to United States District Attorney Preston for investigation.

STOCKMEN OBJECT
TO FREIGHT RAISEMUST GO OUT OF BUSINESS TO
MAKE A LIVING THEY
SAY

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Agricultural and livestock interests, protesting to the interstate commerce commission today against the railroad proposal for a 15 per cent general increase in freight rates, declared that such a revision not only would unjustly burden food producers but would handicap seriously in the whole food production campaign initiated by the government as a war measure.

Speaking for the livestock association, T. W. Tomlinson told the commission that when cattle producers will have to get 25 per cent more than last year for their product even under present conditions in order to make a living. Even then, he said, many cattlemen doubtless would have to go out of business, and with an increased freight rate to make the effort was sure to be felt in a decrease in meat production.

WOMEN VOLUNTEERS WANTED
FOR THE HARVEST FIELD

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29.—Women and girls may be used for light farm work under the department of agriculture's plan for enlisting a volunteer army for the harvest season. They will be employed to feed and care for harvest hands and can, or dry, surplus perishable products.

RECORD BREAKING CROPS
EXPECTED IN CALIFORNIA

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Commission house estimates place the California barley crop at over 900,000 tons, as compared with 500,000 tons last year. A record breaking wheat crop of 400,000 tons also is predicted, due to favorable weather.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC SCORES
GREATEST APRIL EARNINGS

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 29.—The Southern Pacific made \$1,297,908 more clear profit during April this year than a year ago, according to its balance sheet.

NORWEGIAN SHIP SUNK

(By Associated Press.)
CHRISTIANSTAD, May 29.—The Norwegian steamer Norway was sunk by gunfire. The crew was rescued.

BUTLER
THEATRE

TO-NIGHT

Beautiful LENORE ULRICH in
"THE ROAD TO LOVE"In which she appears in artistic
Oriental dancingThrilling romance of the Algerian
desertFORD ANIMATED WEEKLY
Interesting—Educational

TOMORROW

A picture no one should miss!
William Farnum in "The Tale of Two Cities." Charles Dickens' famous story of the French revolution.

Matinee 1:30. Night 7:15 & 9:45

Admission 10c-15c